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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title:

INJECTABLE EUTHANASIA COMPOSITIONS THAT INCLUDE A TASTE

**AVERSIVE AGENT** 

## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)

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	$\boxtimes$	Application Cover Sheet, Specification, Claims (1-1	9) and Abstract of the Disclosure (15 total pages)						
		Original drawings (Figures 1, [ ] total sheet/s]).							
	$\boxtimes$	Declaration and Power of Attorney (1 document) (2	total pages).						
		Newly-executed copy.							
		Copy[ies] from a prior application pursuant to	37 C.F.R. 1.63(d).						
	Acco	ecompanying Application Parts:							
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	Filed				Extra		Rate		Calculations
Basic Fee									\$770
Total Claims	19	-	20	=	0	x	\$18	=	0
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$86	=	0
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Claims (one time fee)									
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## **DIRECT ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: CUSTOMER NUMBER 27910**

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.10 and 1.53(a), Applicant respectfully requests that this application be assigned a serial number and a filing date of **January 23, 2004**, the date upon which the Application was mailed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Express Mail.

Acknowledgment of receipt is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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